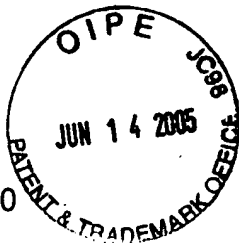


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Sir:

Further to the mailing of the Interview Summary on May 25, 2005, Applicants hereby make record the substance of the May 19, 2005 telephone interview between the Examiner and Applicants' representative Arnold Turk.


The Examiner was contacted by telephone to request his input as to whether the 35 U.S.C 112, second paragraph, rejection was overcome by the arguments and/or amendments presented in Applicants' Amendment filed May 4, 2005. The Examiner indicated that he would discuss the matter with his supervisor and contact the undersigned.

The Examiner thereafter contacted the undersigned by telephone and indicated that it appeared that the rejection would be maintained, and generally indicated that other rejections may be instituted upon further reconsideration. The undersigned therefore advised that he would await further action by the Examiner.

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Should there be any questions, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at the below listed telephone number.

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